

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 195

By Halford

A RESOLUTION to honor Jackie Dewayne Taylor and Anna Eloise Eddlemon Taylor on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly take great pleasure in paying tribute to those successful marriages that have stood the test of time to serve as exemplars for present and future generations; and

WHEREAS, Jackie Dewayne Taylor and Anna Eloise Eddlemon Taylor were joined in holy matrimony at Rutherford Baptist Church in 1961, and since that fateful day this outstanding couple has faced the world as one, basking in the glow of their love for each other during both life's joys and sorrows; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2011, the Taylors celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, exemplifying that this blessed union has grown and prospered as an expression of time-honored family values and selfless love; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have been highly respected citizens of their community for many decades; Jackie Taylor graduated from Mason Hall High School in 1960, and Ann Taylor graduated from Rutherford High School in 1960; and

WHEREAS, Jackie Taylor is the son of the late Robert "Bob" Taylor and the late Virginia Eddlemon Taylor Bare, and Ann Taylor is the daughter of the late George Lee Eddlemon and the late Virginia Katherine "Kate" Norman Eddlemon; and

WHEREAS, this loving couple is fortunate to share love and companionship with their three children, Penny Taylor Lawler, Joey Taylor, who is the husband of Jessie, and Robert Taylor; the Taylors are also the proud grandparents of three grandchildren, Beth Hughes, who is the wife of Preston, Brandi Taylor, and Kendall Lawler; and

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING that we honor and congratulate Jackie DeWayne Taylor and Anna Eloise Eddlemon on the celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary and extend to them our best wishes for much continued happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.